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A. B. Kimball Farm House Burns; Few Furnishings Saved

The home of Mrs. Jennie Claremont at Songo Pond was burned to the ground with most of its contents Friday night. The fire, which started from an overheated chimney, was discovered about 10 o'clock, but had already made such progress that the efforts of the Bethel fire department only confined the blaze to the house and ell.

Known as the Abner Kimball place, it was owned and occupied for more than 40 years by the late Abner B. Kimball, and lately by his daughter, Mrs. Claremont, and family.

Besides a large quantity of antique articles the loss estimated at \$7000 included household furnishings, and a new washing machine and refrigerator. There was a partial insurance coverage.

INFORMATION ON COUNTY REPRESENTATION IN LEGISLATURE

The following information regarding the Oxford County Senators and Representatives to the Legislature at this session will be of interest to many citizen readers.

State Senators:
Boyer, Henry W., Bethel; (Seat No. 24); Hotel Keeper; Republican; Rooms at 43 State Street, Apt. 8.
Committees: Correctional Institutions, Public Health, Bills in Second Reading, gubernatorial Vote.

Fuller, Carleton S., Buckfield; (Seat No. 23); Orchardist; Republican; Rooms at The Webster, 67 State Street, Tel. 3-8542; Committees: Agriculture (Chairman), Education, Senatorial Vote, Veterans and Military Affairs, Engrossed Bills (Chairman).

Representatives:
Cole, Chester J., East Sumner; Representing Buckfield, Canton, Hartford, Hebron, Peru, Sumner; (Seat No. 65); Merchant; Republican; Residence during Session, Lawrence House, Tel. 3-6564; Committees: Welfare, Leave of Absence.

Cornier, Lucia M., 237 Franklin St., Rumford; Representing Andover, Byron, Roxbury, Rumford; (Seat No. 123); Owner of Bookstore; Democrat; Residence during Session, 2 Southern Ave., Tel. 2-2106; Committees: Education, Retirement and Pensions.

Ferguson, Norman K., Hanover; Representing Bethel, Gilead, Greenwood, Hanover, Newry, Stoneham, Stow, Upton, Lincoln Pl., Magalloway Pl.; (Seat No. 88); Foreman, Oxford Paper Co.; Republican; Residence during Session, Augusta House, Tel. 3-3821; Committees: Highways (Chairman).

Howard, Raymond D., Dixfield; Representing Dixfield, Mexico; (Seat No. 113); Store Operator; Republican; Residence during Session, 2 Weston St., Tel. 3-4005; Committees: Natural Resources.

MacDonald, Peter M., Rumford; Representing Andover, Byron, Roxbury, Rumford; (Seat No. 101); Lawyer; Democrat; Residence during Session, Augusta House, Room 223, Tel. 3-3821; Committees: Judiciary, Elections.

Mann, Mrs. Bessie L., West Paris; Representing Paris, Woodstock; (Seat No. 148); Retired Teacher; Republican; Residence during Session, Augusta House, Room 522, Tel. 3-3821; Committees: Education.

Olpe, Walter L., Brownfield; (Illiam R. F. D.); Representing Brownfield, Denmark, Fryeburg, Hiram, Porter, Sweden; (Seat No. 110); Engineering Accountant; Republican; Residence during Session, 41 Grove St., Augusta, Tel. 3-3821; Committees: Retirement and Pensions; County Estimates.

Pike, Harold S., Watford; Representing Lovell, Norway, Oxford, Watford; (Seat No. 116); Tourist Business, Pure Bred Guernsey Cattle; Republican; Residence during Session, 54 Chapel St., Tel. 2-0008; Committees: Business Legislation.

COMMENTS FROM THE OFFICE OF THE TOWN MANAGER

An act, To Repeal the Act Creating the Bethel Village Corporation, was presented to the Committee on Legal Affairs at about 2:15 p. m. Wednesday, Feb. 9, by Senator Boyker. Bethel was also represented by Sam Smith, first assessor of the Corporation, Harold Bennett and John H. Carter of the Board of Selectmen, Henry Hastings, Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, and myself.

If the Legislature acts favorably on this it will then be up to the Town Meeting to either accept or reject this action.

It will require at least 150 votes both for and against this act to take action on it. For this reason the Budget Committee and Selectmen feel that an evening meeting after the Australian Balloting through the day will be needed.

O. T. Rozelle

GOULD HONOR ROLL FOR SECOND PERIOD

Gould Academy honor roll for the second nine weeks period has been announced as follows:

Seniors: Honors—Mary Belle Bennett, 2; Cynthia Hall, 2; Nancy Harmon, 2; Barbara Hulbert, 2; Alice Lane, 2; Shirley Mason, Certificate—Wendall Bragg, Lee Carroll, 2; William Daley, 2; Mary J. Goodloe; Nesta Gordon, 2; William Lord; Sylvia Ring, 2; Iva Rugg, 2; Carter Taylor; Dianne Watson.

Junior: Honors—Valerie Kelch; Eleanor Merriam, 2; Matts Myrman; Barbara Schaefer, 2; David Willard, 2. Certificate—John Manner; Alice Rolfe; Cynthia Ross, 2; Harriet Stevens, 2; Wesley Young.

Sophomores: Honors—Geraldine King, Certificate—Nancy Bales, 2; Myrna Blake, 2; Nancy Corkum, 2; Patricia Elliman, 2; Fred Feltner; Carla Grover, 2; Barbara Leach, 2; James Murphy; Elizabeth Murrell; Deanna Rugg, 2; Ronald Willard, 2.

Freshmen: Honors—Sara Ault, 2; Lauriston Bragg, 2; Judith Brown; William Gallagher, 2; George Goodloe, 2; Herbert Morton, 2; Sandra Olson, 2. Certificate—William Blake, 2; Kaye Blake, 2; Dawne Christie, 2; Cleo Cole, 2; Richard Grover, 2; Patricia Morton, 2; Rita Pingree, 2; Barbara Plummer, 2; Carolyn Sprague, 2; Madelyn Swan, 2; Margaret Wilson; Elizabeth York, 2.

BOOKS ADDED TO BETHEL LIBRARY

Adult Fiction:
The Adventurers, Ernest Haycox; The Searchers, Alan LeMay; Song of the Sky, Guy Murchie; Kennebec Yesterday, Ernest Harriner; We Bought An Island, Evelyn M. Richardson; Bullet Proof, W. F. Bragg; No Time for Sergeants, Mac Hyman; But Love Wants All, Joan Garrison; One Was Glamorous, Bennie C. Hall; Trip to the Moon, Carol Hollister; The Case of the Restless Redhead, Eric Stanley Gardner; My Brother's Keeper, Marcia Davenport; Blue Hurricane, Van Wyck Mason; The Golden Wildcat, Margaret Wildemer; The Four Winds, David Beaty; Roanoke Renegade, Don Tracy; Trial, Don Mankiewicz; The Cornerstone, Oldenbourg; Good Morning Miss Dove, Patton.

Great River, Paul Horgan; The Love Letters of Phyllis McGinley; McGinley's Youth's Companion, edited by Thompson; The Tumult and the Shouting, Grantland Rice; The Stars at Noon, Jacqueline Cochran; Here is New York, E. B. White; Your Federal Income Tax, Internal Revenue Bureau.
Youth Books:
Eagle of Niagara, John Brick; Banners at Shenandoah, Bruce Catton; Solomon and the Queen of Sheba, Cenzil Ormonde; Mahatma Gandhi, Vincent Sheean.

Bethel Public Library will have home-made candy for sale, week of Feb. 13. Please come prepared.

Anyone interested in a series of book reviews, weekly, should consult librarian. Tell her your convenient time and the kind of book you would like to hear discussed.

Ruel Swain has been sick with a very bad cold.

Mrs. Leslie Poore is confined to her home by illness.

MARTIN SELLS RED & WHITE STORE—NEW OWNERS TAKE POSSESSION MONDAY

Announcement was made last week of the sale of the Bethel Red and White Store and building to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Shaw of South Portland. Stuart F. Martin of Rumford Point, who has owned and operated the store the past seven years, is a well known auctioneer and is now serving his second term as County Treasurer. He has not announced future business plans.

Mr. and Mrs. Shaw will take possession of the store next Monday and will occupy an apartment on the second floor of the store building.

Since erection of this building at the corner of Main and Church Streets nearly 50 years ago by the late Daniel Hastings, the store has been occupied by Charles Lucas, L. W. Ramsell Company, Philip B. Burns, Ralph H. Young, C. M. McInnis, and Stuart Martin. In an earlier building on the same spot, Gilman P. Bean carried on a general store for many years and the place was known as "Honest Corner."

HEART FUND BASKETBALL GAME NEXT WEDNESDAY EVE

On Wednesday evening, Feb. 10, there will be two basketball games at the Gould Academy field house. All money received will go toward Bethel's Heart Fund quota.

At 7:00 o'clock the Bethel Crest-cent Park School team will take on the Bryant Pond Grammar School. The second game will start at 8 o'clock and will bring together two local men's teams. The Bethel Old Timers will take on the Locke Mills Townies. The Locke Mills team has played several games this season and has done very well. For the Bethel Old Timers, this will be their first game. Playing for Bethel will be Bob Carier, Russ Soule, Jim Browne, Eugene Brown, Ron Kendall, Archie Young, Charlie Helms and others. This team will be coached by "Spec" Guernsey.

Let's all support the teams and at the same time help a very worthy cause.

BETHEL AND VICINITY

Mr. Howard Gunther, who has been sick with a cold is on the gain.

Miss Anita Kirkpatrick of Richmond, Va., spent last week at her home here.

Clyde Brooks underwent surgery Wednesday at the New England Central Hospital, Boston.

Mrs. John Lane of North Brookfield, Mass., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Dana Brooks and family.

Miss Geneva Mitchell of Damariscotta left Wednesday after spending several days in Bethel.

Ralph Young returned home today from the CMO Hospital, where he had been a surgical patient.

Mrs. Eva Keniston of West Paris was a week end guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Keniston.

Final figures for the local Polio Fund driver are nearly complete and will appear in The Citizen next week.

Miss Leonora Hodgson, who has been a patient at the New England Medical Center, Boston, returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Toothaker and two children of Farmington visited Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Guernsey Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Etherington of Randolph, Vt., spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Anderson.

Students home from college the past week include Miss Marie Mills, Miss Joan Conner, Miss Joan Bennett, and Paul Fosselt.

There will be no meeting of the Five Town Teachers Club this month. The date of the March meeting will be announced later.

All women are welcome on Feb. 23, at 3:15 p. m. in Garden Chapel where there will be a United Service observing Women's World Day of Prayer.

Chadbourne Heads County Group Of MPB Directors

Oxford County will be represented by five men on the State-Wide Board of Directors of the Maine Publicity Bureau, according to James M. Acheson, Augusta, President.

Elected as County Representatives for one year are: Maynard E. Bessey, Buckfield; Philip H. Chadbourne, Bethel, and Fred E. Hanson, Rumford. Mr. Chadbourne has been appointed Chairman of the county panel.

Harry K. Eastman, Fryeburg, and Harold E. Severance are Directors-at-Large for the Bureau with terms expiring in 1956 and 1957 respectively.

Officers for 1955, elected at the recent Annual Meeting in Augusta, are: Acheson, President; Maitland G. Barter, Rangeley, Vice President; Guy P. Butler, Portland, Secretary; Nathan I. Greene, Portland, Treasurer; Dexter R. Hunneman, Jr., Portland, Assistant Treasurer; Samuel W. Collins, Caribou, Chairman of the Board; and John M. Pomeroy, Rockport, Vice Chairman.

Butler was re-appointed Executive Manager for the 16th consecutive year as administrative head of the Publicity Bureau.

HUTCHINSON - TYLER

Miss Patricia Ann Tyler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Tyler of Gilead, became the bride of Robert A. Hutchinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Hutchinson of West Bethel, on January 7. The double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. Charles Pendleton of Bethel.

The bride and groom both attended local schools. Mr. Hutchinson is employed by Shirley Gilbert.

The Bethel Auxiliary of the Rumford Community Hospital will hold a silver tea and sale of knitted articles on Wednesday, Feb. 16, between 3 and 5 at the home of Mrs. Dana C. Douglas Jr. All friends of the hospital are cordially invited.

Bethel Evening Extension Group met Tuesday evening at the Home Economics Cottage. The topic for discussion was "Selection and Care of Draperies," with Mrs. Stanley Tyler, leader. Hostesses were Mrs. S. H. Browne, Mrs. Grace Merrill, Mrs. Abbie Brown, and Miss Lella Swan.

The regular meeting of Purity Chapter, OES, was held Wednesday evening, Feb. 2, at the Masonic Hall. Degree work was exemplified. The pot-luck supper was served by the men. Those on the committee were Charles Keoske, Earlon Paine, Elmer Bennett, and Herbert Morton Jr.

JoAnn Perry celebrated her fifth birthday Monday with a party at her home. Present were Jeffrey Brown, Stephen Hastings, Darlene Merrill, Pamela Douglas, Sarah Pendleton, and the guest of honor. Invited but unable to attend were Gail Seathorne, Lovell; Dickie Waldron, Patty Saunders, and Eileen Saunders.

The Eleanor Gordon Guild met at the home of Mrs. Malcolm Mundt with Mrs. Albert Buck as co-hostess Wednesday evening. Mrs. Dick Eastman led devotions. The Bible which were ordered for the Sunday School have arrived and arrangements were made to have them presented to the Sunday School. Dr. Boynton spoke to the group on the fluidization of the water. Mrs. Ernest Blake furnished entertainment. Refreshments were served by the hostesses.

Audrey Davis was guest of honor at a birthday party in celebration of her fourteenth birthday Saturday evening at the Community Room. Hostesses were Mrs. Lucy Andrews, Mrs. Lawrence Bailey and Mrs. Linwood Newell Jr. Games and dancing were enjoyed, and refreshments, including a decorated birthday cake, were served. Present were Phyllis Coolidge, Kenneth Emery, Marilyn Andrews, Margaret Noyes, Ann Carter, Dobby Felt, Eleanor Lord, Leroy Brown, Grace Currier, Melvin Jodrey, Jerry Wright, Ruth Willard, Nina Haines, Gloria Burris, and Dana Bean.

Don't Forget!
THE MEDDYBEMPSTERS
of Bowdoin College
WILLIAM BINGHAM GYMNASIUM
THURS. FEBRUARY 17th 8 P. M.
Admission: Adults \$1.00 — Children 50c

OLDEST RESIDENT OF WEST PARIS PASSES AWAY

—MRS. TUELL WAS 93

Mrs. Geneva Gertrude Tuell, widow of Horatio Tuell, of West Paris, died Monday at the CMG Hospital, Lewiston, where she had been a patient since Friday, when she fell at her home, fracturing her right hip.

She was born in Greenwood, the daughter of Jacob and Cynthia Heath Curtis in July 1861, was educated in the local schools and Woodstock high school. Prior to her marriage to Mr. Tuell in 1883 she was a school teacher. Mrs. Tuell was a valued and devoted member of the First Universalist Church, West Paris, and its organizations, a lover of people and a servant in the community. For many years she served as news correspondent for the Lewiston Daily Sun, Norway Advertiser and the Oxford County Citizen.

She was predeceased by two daughters, Nina, who died in infancy and Eleanor Mann, in 1923. Her husband died in 1939.

Surviving are a grandson, Lewis Jacobs Mann, Portland; two granddaughters, Mrs. Gertrude Mann Andrews, Bryant Pond; Mrs. Edwina Mann Palmer, West Paris; also eight great-grandchildren.

BILL TO END VILLAGE CORPORATION UNOPOSED AT HEARING WEDNESDAY

There was no opposition to the bill to repeal the charter of the Bethel Village Corporation at the hearing before the Legislative Legal Affairs Committee at Augusta Wednesday. Statements of local people indicated the belief that the Corporation had outlived its usefulness and the duplication of effort in maintaining records, assessing and tax bills was adding unnecessary expense.

HOSPITAL AUXILIARY MEETS

The Bethel Auxiliary of the Rumford Community Hospital met on Monday night, February 7th at the home of Mrs. Dana Thurston. Plans for the Silver Tea to be held, Wednesday, February 16th, at the home of Mrs. Dana Douglas were discussed. Dr. Boynton spoke on fluidizing the Bethel water which he recommended as a positive step in lessening children's teeth decay.

Plans for the Bethel booth at the Rumford Fair were reported on by Frances Saunders. The theme is an international one with Italy selected for Bethel. On March 18th parties in order to pay for the china purchased for chances at the fair.

The first Monday night of the month was decided on as the new night for the auxiliary to meet.

MAINE GIRL TO BE IFYE DELEGATE TO NEW ZEALAND

Miss Pauline E. Hilton, 22, of Norridgewock, Somerset county, has been selected as Maine's 1955 International Farm Youth Exchange delegate. She has tentatively been assigned to live and work with farm families in New Zealand. It has been announced by Stacy R. Miller, executive secretary of the Maine Extension Service.

Miss Hilton will report to Berkeley, Calif., for orientation at the University of California on Sept. 11, 1955. She is tentatively scheduled to fly from San Francisco on Sept. 16 for New Zealand. She is scheduled to return to the United States on May 10, 1956. So she'll be gone about eight months, and will spend more than seven months living, working, and sharing life with farm families in New Zealand.

Born in Norridgewock, Miss Hilton is now a senior majoring in home economics at the University of Maine. She hopes to teach home economics later, and is now practicing teaching in South Paris. She is one of nine children of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph B. Hilton, who operate a 600-acre Norridgewock farm.

While in New Zealand, in addition to living with various farm families and learning of their way of life and helping them with farm and home tasks, Miss Hilton will travel and speak to groups about life in the United States. When she returns to this country, she'll be available as a speaker at meetings of organizations. She'll show color slides of life in New Zealand and discuss agriculture and homemaking there. More than 500 young people from the United States have gone as International Farm Youth Exchange delegates to foreign countries in the past few years. The program has built much good will between nations.

Monday Night Fire Takes Stowell Silk Spool Co. Mill

The main building of the Stowell Silk Spool Co. plant at Bryant Pond was totally destroyed by fire Monday night. The fire, which started in the vicinity of the boiler room, was discovered shortly after 5:30 by Robert McKeen, plant superintendent, and Moses Swan, night watchman, who sounded the mill whistle.

Although the fire made rapid progress through the four-story 140 by 40 foot building, the flames did not break through the roof until about 7:30. At that time the flames were visible in Bethel and light of the fire was seen as far as South Paris. The Bryant Pond firemen were aided by the departments from Bethel, West Paris and Rumford.

The loss was estimated at \$200,000 or more. Most of the office equipment and current records were saved. Older records, stored in the basements, were burned. A brick mill, two idlers, the enameling house and another building were damaged, but a building nearby housing finished products was unharmed.

The mill which was built more than 70 years ago was previously operated by John F. Dearborn and J. A. Thurston. For the past 20 years it has been operated by the Stowell company in the manufacture of spools, novelties and typewriter roll cores. About 150 were employed in the plant.

Plans for rebuilding are being considered. H. K. Stowell, president of the company stated Tuesday.

BOWDOIN COLLEGE MEDDYBEMPSTERS COMING FEB. 17

The Meddybempsters, the augmented double quartet of Bowdoin College, were organized in 1927—a group of undergraduates interested in close harmony. Once heard, the odd name is not easily forgotten. Meddybemps is a town in northern Maine, first in the state to pay a Federal tax.

Now the Meddybempsters' reputation has spread throughout the New England states and to most colleges in the East. In 1948 an appearance of the group in Washington, D. C., was so much enjoyed that a summer tour to entertain U. S. troops in Germany was arranged. Since then, under the auspices of the Special Service Branch of the Army, the group has been invited to appear in Germany and other European countries five summers.

Those who attend the performance in the William Bingham Gymnasium at eight o'clock in the evening of February 17th will hear all types of popular music: barbershop ballads, spirituals, novelties, and close harmony. The flavor of the evening may best be expressed by the opening words of their theme song, given by Pulitzer Prize Poet, Robert P. Tristram Coffin: "Songs and young men go we'll together; draw up your chairs and listen."

Mrs. Constance D. Alger is most appreciative of the many expressions of sympathy on the occasion of her recent accident resulting in a broken hip. She wishes to take this means of thanking her friends for their letters and cards and to inform them that she is recovering quite nicely. Her address: 405 Smith Drive, Walker Village, Killen, Texas.

NOTICE
The petitions of Candidates for Town Office should be in the hands of the Town Clerk on or before Saturday, February 19.

WARRANT FOR BETHEL TOWN MEETING TO CLOSE FEB. 11

Persons wishing articles in the warrant for the annual town meeting should be certain that such articles are presented to the manager before noon on Monday, Feb. 11.

Piano and Piano Accordion Lessons

Popular and Classical Music
MRS. PHYLLIS L. KING
Chapman St. Bethel, Maine

G. L. Knoeland, D. O.
General Practice
Eyes Examined—Glasses Fitted
Hours: 10 a.m.—11 p.m.; 2-4, 6-8 p.m.
Except Thursday Afternoons and Sundays
Tel. 51

The Week in Oxford County

A reception honoring Mrs. Nora Newcomb, Conductor of the Rehoboth Assembly of Maine, was held at the Norway Odd Fellows hall, Saturday evening.

South Paris High basketball team is the champion, Western Division, of the Sun-Journal league. The championship final will be played with Jay of the Eastern Division.

Calvin Keyo opened a barber shop in Mexico. He graduated from Mex-

ico high school in 1953, attended barber school, served a six months apprenticeship. He is reportedly the youngest barber in Maine.

Miss Orene Whitman of Bryant Pond graduated from the Maine Medical Center School of Nursing in Portland, Friday.

Janice Smith was crowned Queen of the Stephens High School Winter Carnival in Rumford, Saturday night.

The many friends of Mrs. Linnie Abbott will be pleased to know she is gaining after being very sick with virus pneumonia. She is being cared for by her faithful companion, Mabel Stanley.

Everett Brasher of Oostepsee, N. H., former teacher at Gould Academy, was among the school administrators attending the Tri-State Conference here the first of the week.

EDITORIAL

Everybody's Business

At this time of year the thoughts of many of our readers turn to town affairs and the costs of local government. Those who take such matters seriously find themselves puzzled at times in the attempt to evaluate properly the problems which they, and only they, can solve. Matters of town, county and state do not care of themselves, or should not, for when they do wasteful administration is likely to result.

Within the next few weeks before the annual town meetings reports of the conduct of municipal affairs will be available to every voter. The story of what happened to every dollar raised last March is told, although some times a little study is necessary to arrive at what seems to be a reasonable conclusion. Too often a vague or generalized report may arouse a train of suspicious or unjustified surmises, which a few words of explanation could easily clarify.

There is nothing very intricate about town or state government affairs. It is only natural that many phases of the town's business are not fully known. Many of us don't care enough about such things to listen when we might learn. Good town officials are always willing to explain the details

of any transactions in question, and good citizens should be informed of the facts before they decide on the course of town affairs for the coming year.

There may be groups in town affairs, as there are various "regional" organizations in the state, that seek to promote measures or advantage to a community or favorable area. The former may secure action in town meeting which may not be in accord with the common interest. The latter may successfully bring "pressure" upon members of the legislature which will promote the interests of one area at the expense of others. In the first place one should make his voice and vote known at town meeting. In the second it is his duty to let his representative or senator know of his opinion.

Up to this time we do not know of a form of government that serves the people as well as the present form from the old town meeting on upward. These have been, through the years, changes which we believe have in no way been improvements. So it is up to us of these days to guard these privileges which we too often take for granted. It is our duty to do this, even at the price of some inconvenience besides paying taxes.

Economic Highlights

Happenings That Affect the Future of Every Individual — National and International Problems Inseparable from Local Welfare.

One of the oldest, strongest and best institutions in American life is the weekly newspaper. Almost anyone will agree that a town without a paper doesn't amount to much. The weekly is a running record of history—of life and death, of tragedy and achievement, of change and progress. It is a fighter of battle in causes it holds to be right—in politics, economics, civic problems of many kinds. It is close to the people who read it and whose activities make it. More than any other factor, probably, it binds the community together, providing purpose, coherence, and direction.

Yet, like so many other good and essential things, most of us take the country paper for granted. Year in and year out, without fail, it comes to us each week. It's not likely that many think of what life would be like without it.

Now and then, however, the weekly gets some of credit it deserves. That has happened on several occasions in recent months. An interesting example is found in a bill introduced by Sen. Daniel of Texas, on behalf of himself and Senator Johnson, the new majority leader, providing for the establishment of a National Library of Weekly Newspapers. A companion bill was introduced in the House by Representative Gentry of Texas.

In a speech on the Senate floor, Senator Daniel said: "This bill would help to preserve that great portion of the true history of our Nation which is recorded in pioneer weekly newspapers and in current published weekly papers of the United States. . . . During the early years of our Nation's history we had only weekly newspapers. Even today, the educational, social, political, and religious history of a great portion of our population can be found only in the files of these weekly publications. . . . There are thousands of weekly newspaper files

which have been preserved. Others have been destroyed, and in the future there is likely to be a continuing loss of this valuable historical material unless something is done to encourage its preservation."

Another tribute came from a big daily newspaperman—Lloyd Taft, son of the late Senator Robert Taft, and assistant publisher of the Cincinnati Times. He told a press association gathering that "Big city papers talk more and more about editorial influence and exercise less and less of it, while weeklies continue to gain an advantage. . . ."

An extraordinary example of this influence occurred last November in South Carolina, a state in which nomination on the Democratic ticket has always been tantamount to election. Due to certain political developments, a feeling grew that this time the voters were getting a bad deal. A campaign was started urging that voters write in the name of J. Strom Thurmond instead of marking the ballot for the regular Democratic nominee for the U. S. Senate. This campaign was supported by 73 of the state's 86 non-dailies, along with all but two of the 16 dailies. Even though introduced by Sen. Daniel of Texas, on behalf of himself and Senator Johnson, the new majority leader, providing for the establishment of a National Library of Weekly Newspapers. A companion bill was introduced in the House by Representative Gentry of Texas.

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"I REMEMBER"
BY THE OLD TIMERS

From Mrs. Torada McFarland Meyers, Spokane, Washington: I remember over fifty years ago in Okanogan County, Washington, when the North half of the Colville Indian Reservation was opened for homesteads.

My parents filed on 160 acres. As everything was raw and new, most people lived in log houses. There were no school houses, not even little red ones. I remember attending school in a one room log cabin. There was one door and the school board put in the only window. The cabin was owned by an Indian woman.

During rainy weather we would all stay in at recess and play a game. We would see who could find the most bullet holes in the log walls. Our desks were home-made as were the benches we sat on.

Several miles attended school rather regularly. Our young lady teacher, true to form, was afraid of them. Whenever one of the "beasts" appeared, teacher would dash outside until one of the boys chased the mouse away.

We all carried our lunches in either lard pails or tobacco cans, with handles. These were set on a shelf beside the door. Our teacher all but fainted one day when a girl found a large bull snake coiled around her lunch pail.

PET PEEVE
by Mike Bennett

I ONCE knew a fellow who lived right next to a busy railroad line. Each time a train rumbled along the tracks a few feet from his doorway, the frame building shook to its very foundations.

I always thought it amusing that no one could entice this fellow to spend as much as one night away from home. He always begged off because of "insomnia" . . . the peace and quiet of other places made him restless. His sleep routine called for plenty of noise and noise he had to have.

Having recently burdened the wife and two "noise-makers" off to Mississippi for a "homesickness" cure, I now understand how disconcerting an upset routine may be.

As a rule, I'm the type who "fucks in" quite early, sometimes even before the kiddies run down, or are chased off to bed. Not so, now. My first efforts to retire at the usual time met with dismal failure. I kept straining my ears to hear familiar noises—rustling sounds from the children's room; pots and pans in the kitchen; somebody asking for a drink of water to be brought bedside.

There were some familiar sounds, but they annoyed rather than soothed. Each seemed magnified a thousand times. The automatic heater took off like a jet, the television, aerial, rocked by the wind, made a rumbling noise like two mountains rubbing together. The floors "creaked" and the storm windows rattled.

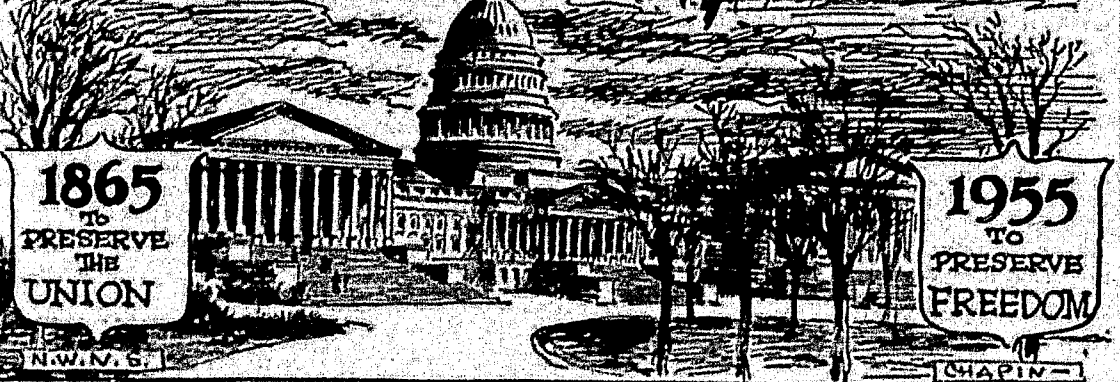
Heading in bed—a habit seldom indulged in—proved the only ticket to relaxation and sleep. But this process took time and I would have rested much better if a freight train had roared by to rock me to sleep.

WISDOM THEN, WISDOM NOW

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LINCOLN'S SECOND INAUGURAL ADDRESS

MARCH 4, 1865

FARM AND HOME PLANS
PROGRESSING

Final program details are yet to be completed, Herbert A. Leonard, University Farm Manager and chairman of the Farm and Home Week Committee, says. He added that the general plan of the week's activities has been set up.

Leonard explained that early announcement of the general program is being made in order that the several thousands of Maine people who usually attend this popular farm and home event may make plans to choose the days and subjects in which they are most interested.

Evening programs will be of interest to both men and women. These start on Monday, April 4, with a speaker and entertainment. On Tuesday night recognition of Maine's outstanding farmers and homemakers will be made. Grange night will be on Wednesday night. And on Thursday evening the annual Farm and Home Week banquet and square dance will bring the weeks program to an enjoyable climax.

Programs of special interest to women include women's clubs, rural church and home garden on Tuesday. On Wednesday there will be garden club, tourist, and state park programs. PTA, rural education, and welfare programs are scheduled for Thursday, and on each day of Farm and Home Week, there will be various other home economics subjects.

For men, subjects of interest include forage, small grains, beef, sheep, market garden, bees, and turkeys on Tuesday's program. Also starting on Tuesday and continuing into Wednesday will be apple programs. Dairy, poultry, and

processing crops will be the features of Wednesday, and that night will be the potato grower's and dairymen's dinners. On Thursday, potato, forestry, small fruits, and blueberry programs will be featured as will livestock breed association meetings.

The complete program in detail will be announced early in March, Leonard concluded.

Equipment in operation on Maine's 30,000 farms is worth more than \$100,000,000. Included are 17,000 tractors, 19,000 trucks, 4,800 milking machines and 500 combines.

DALE CARNEGIE

AUTHOR OF "HOW TO STOP WORRYING AND START LIVING"

LA VERNE R. LARSON, 4815 North Tripp Avenue, Chicago 30, Illinois, tells us that the year 1950 lives in her memory as a nightmare.

After conducting exhaustive tests and examinations, Chicago's top physicians informed her that her mother was surely and unalterably facing a situation where it would be necessary to amputate her leg. Her general condition was such that the chances were only one in several thousand that she would survive, yet it would have to be done perhaps in a month, almost certainly within a year.

From the moment she left the doctor's office following this shattering announcement, the question "How can I ever tell her?" burned constantly in the back of her mind. Her thoughts were so consumed with this that the course of her life was changed. Her work began to suffer, as did her social life. She was acting like someone under a spell and she wouldn't tell anyone the reason for it because she felt it was her worry.

As it happened, her mother mercifully died suddenly, easily, and without ever knowing what might have been in store for her. After it was all over and La Verne had time to think back over the events of that year she realized that all of her worries had been over something that never came to pass. She then made a solemn vow that she would never again let fear and worry get such a grip on her. She had learned the hard way that many of the things we worry about never happen. Whatever the future holds for her she declares she shall always have the good sense to do whatever there is to be done and then put her trust in God as to the final outcome.



CARNEGIE

THE LOW DOWN
FROM
HICKORY GROVE

Today I come to the aid of 48 governors, legislatures, town councils, and the 113s there under the nation's 113s. Most of 'em have the wrong scent—they are crawling around at random on the wrong track. Also they don't actually know what the home folks really want. They imagine the home folks want something more than they now have, but what's more—the home folks want to be less worried. Folks are fed up with more—being more locked after, paying more taxes, treated as not being able to look after themselves. I say folks have taken these ailments and treatment too docile like.

All types, kinds and sizes in town—small town, big town—mayors, governors and congress have the notion that they must scare up something new to propose to a citizenry that already choose to be left alone. To put over their "guide-us" programs they need new and novel ways of raising obscure—palatable they say—varieties of two-

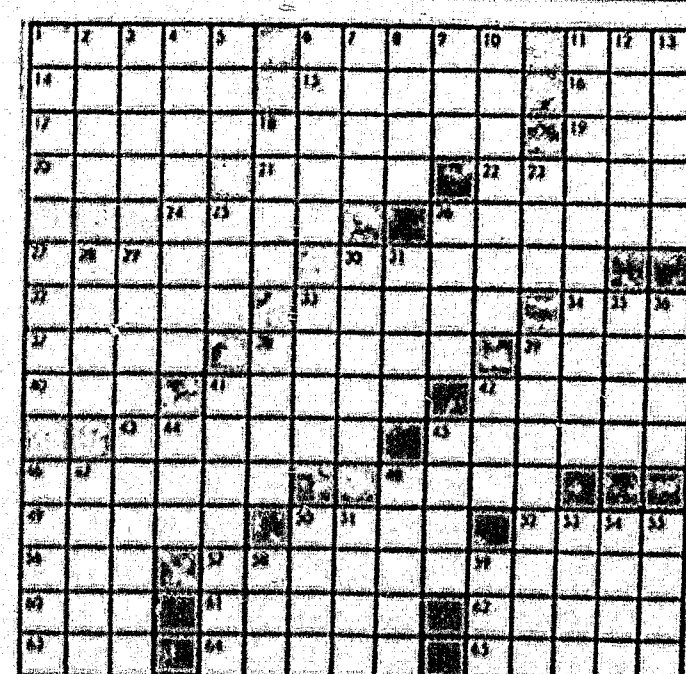


RISES TELL TALE . . . George Mihalas, 24, Remondin farmer, exhibits shoes he wore and in 24 day flight from Red to Munich, Germany. He walked by day, living on apples and water.

es. We are already too much looked after. Our payrolls come with guys and gals roaming the land from run-up to the gloams—all of 'em cattle high on the center cuts. Little business, big business, picks up the check.

My slogan would be "where can we trim sell versus hiring a bigger crew?" Some senator or mayor or budget builder can garner himself publicity and votes if he should do such an unprecedented eddy. We been a dimes for punishment, too long, and the cry for taxes, it never ceases.

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SCANNING THE
NEWS

THE recent report of the Committee for Economic Development, an authoritative group of business executives, pointing out weaknesses in the federal budget system and describing the budget process in Congress as "spinning wheels" also highlights an increasing tendency to go outside the budget for money for public services which does not show up in the budget itself.

This practice was first tried in this administration when the Treasury went to the country banks urging them to take Commodity Credit Corporation notes off their hands at a time when the expenses of the government was crowding the constitutional debt limit.

Now President Eisenhower proposes to set up a hundred billion dollar federal corporation for the issuance of revenue bonds to build roads, which will not show up in the federal budget, but which some senators, including Senator Harry Byrd, of Virginia, say will cost the taxpayers more than \$11 billion in interest if they are paid off on schedule in 1967.

The committee named by the president to draw up his road bill asks (1) continuation of the regular federal aid to highways at the rate of \$23 million a year, and (2) expenditure during the next ten years of \$25 billion for the so-called interstate highway system, or a total expenditure on the two programs of \$31 billion in 10 years. This would build, according to the estimate, 40,000 miles of interstate highway, or about 1 per cent of all public road mileage and would average about \$20 miles

per state. For this the committee recommends borrowing \$20 billion at 3 per cent interest and collection of \$5 billion in fees from filling stations, motels, etc., operating on these highways. Senator Byrd says if the 20-year taxable bonds recommended can be sold at 3 per cent and it paid off on schedule, the last maturing in 1967, the interest would cost more than \$1.5 billion, or a cost to the taxpayers of \$1.53 for every dollar borrowed.

There have been other attempts in the past of taking capital expenditures out of the budget. But these attempts have been on self-liquidating projects such as power dams, irrigation projects, etc. There have been several attempts to set up revolving funds for this category of government expenditures, and let the collections from revenues pay them out over the life of the project, taking the amounts out of the budget and thus out of the taxable areas. This has been suggested, for instance in the case of the TVA, which annually pays back millions of dollars into the federal treasury, but must go back to congress each year and ask for appropriations, starting from scratch.

For instance during the past four years, alone, since June, 1950, the TVA has paid into the general fund of the treasury a total of \$47,418,000 and in addition has received \$34,000,000 in Treasury bonds, or a total of \$102,418,000. Yet this is one side of the TVA which is seldom heard from when that agency is forced to go before congress and beg for funds with which to operate.

BRYANT

— Mrs. Edith

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BRYANT POND

— Mrs. Edith C. Abbott, Corres. —
O. E. S.

The stated meeting of Jefferson Chapter, O.E.S., was held Friday night at Masonic Hall, with visitors present from Signal Light Chapter, Gorham, N. H. After the business meeting a quiz program, in charge of the Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron, proved very entertaining and amusing. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Florence Bean, Mrs. Martha Warner and Mrs. Melva Willard. The Star Birthday Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Gertrude Davis, on Thursday evening, Feb. 17. She will be assisted in entertaining by Mrs. Sylvia Judkins, Mrs. Esther Dunlap and Mrs. Barbara Hathaway. Extension Service.

The Woodstock Extension Association met Thursday at the home of Mrs. Cleo Billings at 10:30 a. m. The subject matter, on "Selection and Care of Curtains and Draperies" was presented by Mrs. Billings, clothing leader and her assistant, Mrs. Elsie Bryant. Dinner was served by Mrs. Esther Dunlap and Mrs. Edith Abbott. At the business meeting, it was voted to study Canada this year, and know your neighbor. Chairman, Edith Abbott, read a letter on the "International Peace Garden." She announced that Mrs. Eva Mills and Mrs. Cleo Billings will be her assistants. Mrs. Eva Mills was chosen delegate to attend Farm and Home Week, with Mrs. Helen Remsen as alternate.

Grange Meeting.
Franklin Grange observed Ladies' Night at the regular meeting, Saturday evening, with eleven visitors present from West Paris and three from South Paris Granges. The officers for the evening were as follows: Master, Phyllis Jordan; Overseer, Lizzie Russ; Steward, Edith Hathaway; A. Steward, Charlotte Cole; L. A. Steward, Lettie Brooks, Secretary, Elsie Cole; Treasurer, Jean Carlin; Lecturer, Janette Carlin; Chaplain, Myrtle

UPTON

— Mrs. C. A. Judkins Corres. —

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Judkins, Mr. and Mrs. Fred S. Judkins and family attended church at Errol, N. H., Sunday, Feb. 6.

The 4-H Club met with their leader, Mrs. Arline Bernier, Saturday evening, Feb. 5.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Bernier and family were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Judkins Saturday, Feb. 5, in honor of Mrs. Bernier's birthday.

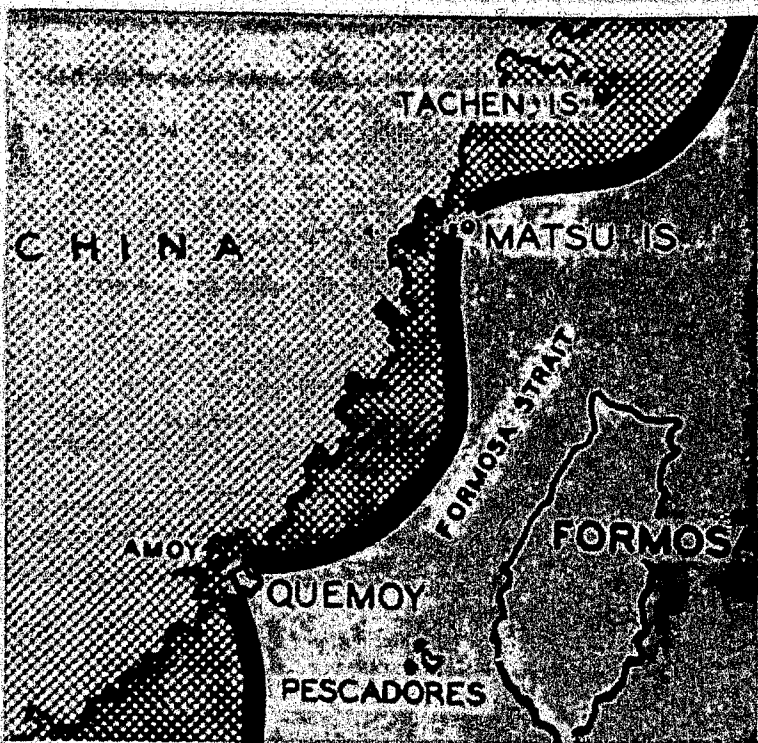
Horace Goodrum was home over the week end.

Three tables of "63" were in play Friday evening, Feb. 4, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Bernier for the benefit of the Grange.

The Grange is starting a "Cribbage Tournament" with Fred Judkins and Aubrey Goodrum in charge. It will last through February and March.

C. A. Judkins took Mrs. Arline Bernier and son, Lucien, and Mrs. Mae Goodrum and daughter, Rosemary, to Lewiston, Monday, Feb. 7, to have the children's eyes tested.

The Parent-Teacher meeting was held at the school house Tuesday evening this week. Fred Judkins entertained with a radio quiz program.



CHINA HOT SPOT . . . Map shows Nationalist China's stronghold, Formosa, which Pres. Eisenhower says the U. S. must defend against Red Chinese, and also evacuate Chiang's forces from Tachens.

Hayes; Gatekeeper, Verna Swan; Ceres, Mabel Dunham; Pomona, Louie Sweetser; Flora, Mrs. Hancock. The following program was presented: Song by Grange, "In the Garden"; Readings by Mrs. Verne Billings; Songs by Trio, Miss Charlotte Cole, Mrs. Jannette Carlin and Miss Jean Carlin; Sidi, "Reading the Newspapers" by Mrs. Elsie Cole and Mrs. Edith Abbott; Report of State Grange, by Ellis Davis; Reading, "The Men" by Mrs. Lettie Brooks; Penny March, with prize won by Hartley Ward. Refreshments were served after the meeting by Carl Brooks, Harris Hathaway and Ellis Davis. Gentlemen's Night will be observed at the next meeting, Feb. 19, with Edwin Howe, as Master. The refreshment committee will be Mrs. Verna Swan, Mrs. Elsie Davis and Mrs. Louie Sweetser.

Mrs. Otis Dudley has been the guest this week of her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cole, at Concord, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smith are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter at the Rumford Hospital, Feb. 8. She has been named Diana Lorraine.

WOODSTOCK HIGH

On February 11, there will be a basketball game between Woodstock High School and the Alumni, at the Gym, at 7:00.

Those on the honor roll for the second nine weeks are: High Honors: All A's—Denise Noyes, sophomore; Honors—nothing lower than a B—Albert Cross, senior, Maynard Cushman, senior, Luna Farrington, senior, Louise LaValley, senior, Rex Martin, senior, Sandra Martin, senior, Andrea Poland, senior, Leona Whitman, senior, Doris Brooks, sophomore, Charlotte Schultz, sophomore, James Swan, sophomore, Kaye Ring, freshman.

Perfect attendance: Andrea Poland, Luna Farrington, Bill Mason, Robert Vallee, Nadine Waterhouse, Kaye Ring, Leon Poland, Beverly Poland, Leatrice Farnum, Lorraine Billings, Arthur Coffin, Carolyn Dean, Pearl Farrington, Eva Harlow, Wallace Hussey, Denise Noyes, Charlotte Schultz, Leona LaValley.

EAST BETHEL

— Mrs. David Foster, Corres. —

Miss Mary Alice Hastings who has been in Detroit to college for several weeks is now back at the University of Maine.

Week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hastings were Miss Mary Hastings, Warren Hastings and Robert Cruikshank of the University of Maine, and Allen Bancroft of Shortsville, New York.

Miss Adelle Kimball was home over the week end from her studies at the State Teachers' College at Gorham.

Miss Arlene Coolidge and Miss Sandra Olson will give a Poultry Demonstration at South Paris on Friday as they were one of the winners at the District Meeting in Bethel.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Coffin, little Jeanne, and Miss Jeanne Newton of Norway, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Falkenhof of Andover were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Newton.

Mrs. Bernice Noyes, Miss Nancy Haines, Cynthia Coolidge have been ill this week.

The Early Risers 4-H Club held a regular meeting at the home of their leaders, Mr. and Mrs. James Plawlock, on Saturday. They received their Record Sheets back and looked them over. After the business meeting, the boys worked on their Woodworking Projects.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris Tyler were given a household shower on Feb. 2 by a large group of friends. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Erton Bean, Mrs. Carroll Curtis, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith, Mrs. Haddon Olson, Rodney Howe, Mr. and Mrs. Dana Jackson, Mrs. Evelyn Harrington, Mrs. Urban Bartlett, Mrs. Guy Bartlett, Mrs. Irwin Farrar, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Smith Jr., Mrs. Chester Harrington, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Smith, Mrs. Al Curtis, Richard Waldron, Alberta Coolidge, Mr. and Mrs. Kendric Scribner, Mrs. James Plawlock. Out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Tyler of Rumford Corner, Mrs. Richard Lane, Mrs. Lura Dodge, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Towle, Mrs. Orva Dodge, Mrs. Claire Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Tyler, all of Dixfield. Those unable to attend but send-

ing gifts were Mr. and Mrs. Almon Coolidge, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Clark, Charles Morse, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Farrar, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Haines, Mrs. Ben Tyler, Miss Rachel Candridge, Leland Coolidge, Miss Geneva Chick, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Perry, Donald Holt, Mrs. Marjorie Billings, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Gallant, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Billings, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Newton, Mrs. Eva Swan, Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Holman, Tom Ellis, Mrs. Gertrude Holman. The couple received many nice gifts.

Lester Bates is helping at Clarence Kimball's.

Julie Reynolds had the misfortune to cut her hand recently.

Jean Thurlow is gaining and is expected to soon leave the hospital. Well the cold weather has been up to its usual mischief with the waterpipes of Joe Roderick, Earl Williamson and Roland Fleet, which means thawing out.

A very pleasant party was held at R. M. Fleet's Sunday evening. It was to be a going-away party for Raymond Nowlin but it turned out to be a surprise birthday party for Mrs. R. M. Fleet. "The Pine Tree Ramblers" played and sang. A very enjoyable evening with fancy cakes for both Mrs. Fleet and Mr. Nowlin and several gifts for both. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Earl Williamson, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Blake, Myrna, Kaye and Loretta Blake, Mrs. Mina Nowlin, Raymond, Clyde and Kenneth Nowlin, Edward MacDonald, Richard and John Gilman, Barbara Reynolds, Laura Yates, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Fleet and David Fleet.

Mrs. Mabel Becker has gone to visit her daughter and family, in Boston.

Blon Swan was taken to a hospital in Augusta one day last week.

GREENWOOD CITY

— Mrs. Collata Morgan, Cor. —

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Heath Jr. of Norway were Sunday callers at Toivo Tamlander's.

Mr. and Mrs. Leona Holt and children called on relatives at South Paris on Sunday.

Mrs. Montie Millett, Tubbs District, was a recent caller at Linn Cole's.

The Community Club met with Mr. and Mrs. Roland Hayes on Tuesday evening. They enjoyed an oys-

ter stew supper and an evening of TV programs. The children enjoyed a sleigh ride.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Morgan spent Sunday evening at Norton Emmons', Woodstock.

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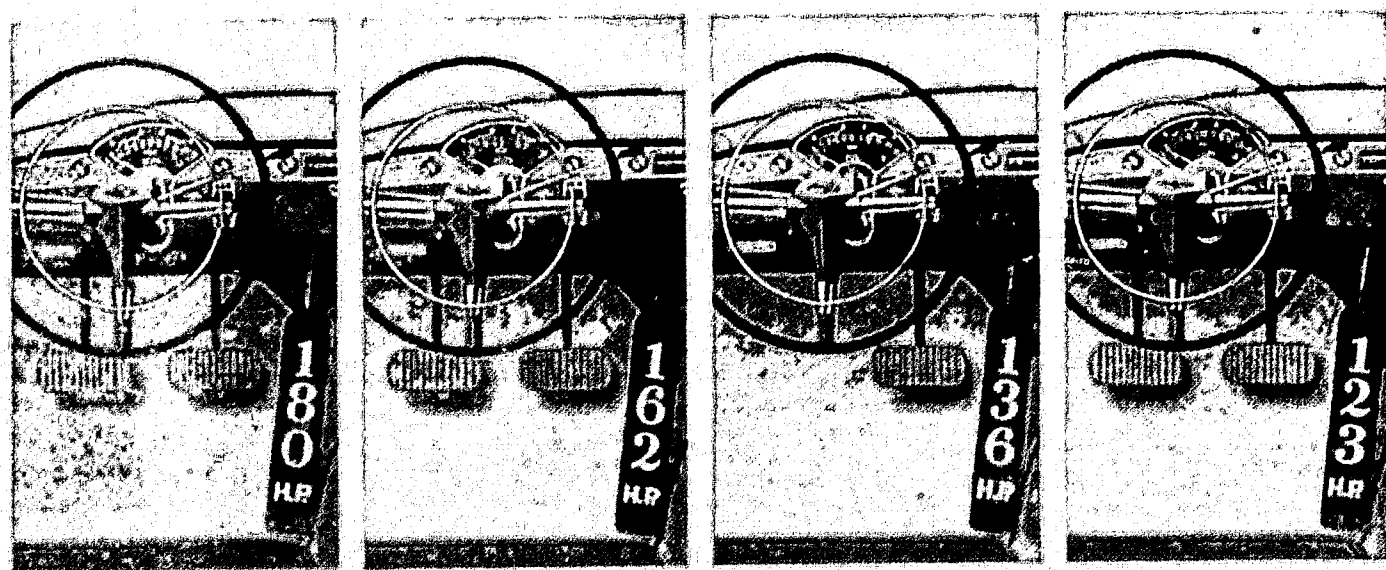
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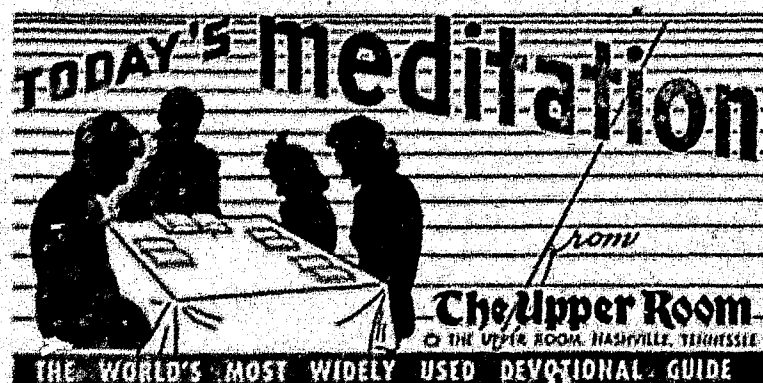
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Thursday, February 10

Read Matthew 25:1-10.

Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these my brethren, ye have done it unto me. Matthew 25:40.

An old legend relates that once on a cold, stormy night Martha was busy in her home preparing for the expected Christ. In the midst of her preparations, she heard a knock on the door. Opening it, Martha saw a ragged beggar standing there in the cold rain. Immediately she said, "I am expecting Jesus, the great prophet of Calilee, tonight. I have no time for beggars." Abruptly, she shut the door.

Soon she heard another knock on the door. When Martha opened it, again, she saw a frail, ill child there. To this child Martha said, "I am expecting Jesus tonight. I have

no time to give to you." But before she could close the door, suddenly Jesus, in all His majesty, stood before her! Martha had been too busy to recognize her Lord.

Are we so busy doing some work we think entirely worthy that we blind ourselves to see other, perhaps greater, work needful to be done? Are we, like Martha, too busy to recognize our Lord?

Prayer

Help us, O God, to recognize Thee in the tasks ahead of us. Guide us from the confusion and pettiness of less important things that we may, with an eye single to Thy glory and honor and for others' good, devote ourselves to work for Thee. In Jesus' name. Amen.

Thought For The Day
To help others is to help God.
—Bessie Saunders Spencer (Colorado)

CHURCH ACTIVITIES

BETHEL METHODIST CHURCH

Robert A. Carter, Minister
Miss Minnie Wilson, Sunday School Superintendent

Mrs. Nestle Littlefield, Organist

Sunday, Feb. 13

9:45 a. m. Church School.

11:00 a. m. Morning Worship.

Sermon: "The United Nations," based on the booklet "Howards and Trappings."

7:00 p. m. Senior MYF at the Church.

7:50 p. m. Vesper Service. A film strip: "The Last Supper."

8:00 Bible Seminar. Subject, "Ruth."

Saturday, Feb. 12, 8:30 p. m. Couples Club at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alton Laxton. Co-hosts: Mr. and Mrs. Alton Laxton and Mr. and Mrs. Irving Brown.

Thursday, Feb. 17, 7:00 p. m. Senior Choir at the Church, 7:30 p. m. WESG general monthly meeting will be held at the Church. Devotions, Mrs. Charles Saunders. Book review, Mrs. Donald Christie.

Friday, Feb. 18, 8:30 p. m. Junior MYF at the Church.

WEST PARISH CHURCH

Charles L. Pendleton, Minister

Mrs. John Fehdets, Choir Director

Dawnie Christie, Organist

Sermons for Sunday, Feb. 13

9:30 a. m. Church School. Frank Mary, superintendent.

11:00 a. m. Morning Worship. The morning's sermon is entitled "On Our Side" and is concerned with the opportunities for practicing Christianity in our daily living.

8:00 p. m. Pilgrim Fellowship at the Chadbourne's.

8:00 p. m. There will be a discussion group on the New Testament and problems of faith. The meeting will be at the Manse. Everyone is cordially invited to participate in these Lenten meetings which will run for a period of six weeks.

Friday, Feb. 11: The Guild will hold a spaghetti supper in the dining room, with two servings, one at 6:30 p. m. and one at 8:30 p. m.

Monday, Feb. 14: 7:30 p. m. Meeting of the Diocese at the Hill-Her's.

Thursday, Feb. 17: 1:30 p. m. Ladies' Club will meet at the home of Mrs. A. Van Den Kerckhoven.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

The Lesson-Sermon used in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, is available to everyone who desires to study it.

Bible Selection: "And great multitudes came unto him, having with them those that were lame, blind, dumb, maimed, and many others, and cast them down at Jesus' feet, and he healed them." (Matthew 23:33).

Authorized Christian Science literature may be found in the public library.

BRYANT POND BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. C. B. Leland, Pastor

Sunday, Feb. 13

9:15 a. m. Church School.

Morning Worship, 10:30 a. m.

Evening Service, 7:30 p. m.

Monday, Feb. 14: Youth Fellowship.

Tuesday, Feb. 15: Meeting of the Susan B. Howell Missionary Society.

Wednesday, Feb. 16: Midweek Bible Study Hour, 7:30 p. m.

The quarterly business meeting of the church which was scheduled for Monday, Feb. 7, was postponed; a later announcement will be made as to the time of the meeting.

BRYANT POND UNIVERSALIST CHURCH

Sunday Worship Service at 9:30 a. m. Rev. Gordon Russell, Pastor.

Church School at 10:45. Mrs. L. H. Abbott, Supr.

Association of Universalist Women.

BIG HEART SCENE PREVIEWED



Lucille Dall and Desi Arnes, National Co-Chairmen of Heart Fund Volunteers, stage a preview of a scene which will be shown in the Heart Sunday collection on Heart Sunday, February 20. Lucille, wearing a Heart Fund Volunteer's badge, hands a Heart Sunday collection envelope to husband Desi. The nation-wide house-to-house Heart Sunday collection will be a highlight of the Heart Fund drive, which is to be conducted throughout February.

In accepting the appointment, Lucille and Desi said: "We are proud and happy to have a part in this national crusade against diseases of the heart and circulation. As parents we are keenly aware of the fact that more than a half million children are affected by the heart diseases in this country, and as Americans we want to do our part toward helping to solve the nation's leading health problem."

"We sincerely wish that many hundreds of thousands of others will join us in volunteering their services for the 1955 Heart Fund, and that the Heart Sunday campaign will meet with the fullest measure of success."

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have arrived in California.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude C. Linnell are in Oregon visiting their daughter, Mrs. Arthur Jordan.

Milton Cameron has gotten to Greenland safely. He had to wait in Montreal some time for good flying weather. There are just four hours daylight in Greenland now. Milton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Donald Cameron received a letter from him Thursday, Feb. 3, that was written Jan. 21st.

Robert Waugh preached at the Magalloway Church Sunday. Only ten people were present.

Oscar Gould is in Boston attending the Sportsman's Show.

Ewen Cameron caught a large bobcat recently.

Mrs. Elizabeth Vaughn and family spent the week end with her father, Ewen Cameron, at Big Buck Camp.

A baby shower was held at Mrs. Richard Turner's house for Mrs. Betty Leach on Friday last.

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WOODSTOCK

What Is a Good Neighbor? A citizenship program, entitled "What Is a Good Neighbor?" was presented by James Mason, assistant Missionary Volunteer leader, at the February 4 meeting. Stories and examples of good neighbor activities were given by Freeman Roberts, Goldie Mason and Ruth Redding.

The next meeting, February 11, will be a musical Bible study on the second coming of Christ. There will be several duets and solos, besides congregational singing. The meeting will be at the church school at 8 o'clock.

Doreas Meeting

A number of children's and babies' garments were cut out and made for partly made at the Dorcas Welfare meeting held at the home of Jean Wilson, February 6. Many pieces of new materials were donated by the members to make clothing for needy families that they are helping. Another meeting will be held in two weeks, the place to be announced later. The leader is Margie Gleason; secretary-treasurer, Burna Wilson.

LOCKE MILLS

Mrs. Mary Mills, Corrae. Mrs. Calvin Cole was given a stark shower at her home on the Howe Hill road last Tuesday evening, Feb. 1. The hostesses, Mrs. Lucy Bennett and Miss Arlene Chase, served refreshments of sandwiches, cake and coffee. Table decorations were in pink and blue. A very enjoyable evening was spent by the following: Mrs. Helen Chase, Mrs. Ella Cole, Mrs. Ruth Ring, Mrs. Mary Andrews, Mrs. Lucy Bennett, Miss Arlene Chase and the honored guest, Mrs. Calvin Cole, all of Locke Mills; Miss Janet Mason of Bethel and Mrs. Clifford Vincent of South Paris. Those unable to attend, but sending gifts were Mrs. Charlotte Gould, Mrs. Joyce Cook, Mrs. Arthur Bacon, Miss Marjorie Cromack, Mrs. Marion Day, Mrs. John Hathaway, Mrs. Avis Ellingwood, Mrs. Arthur Horrick, Mrs. Hazel Cary and Lorraine Billings.

There seems to be much illness in the village this week.

There was no school on Monday due to the snow storm, and some of the pupils from the outlying districts were unable to attend on Tuesday.

The teachers and pupils attended the movie "The Adventures of Robinson Crusoe" at Bethel Wednesday evening. They were conveyed by bus.

David Jordan and Paul Bartlett, students at the University of Maine, have been at their homes the past week.

The Community Club met at the school building Tuesday evening with fourteen members and one visitor present. Mrs. Bertha Davis presided at the meeting, and Mrs. Dora Ford substituted for the secretary who was unable to be present. Mrs. Cora Bennett will preside at the next meeting. The following were appointed to be in charge of the town meeting dinner: Marion Swan, Lorraine Pfander, Lora Noyes and Dora Ford. It was reported at the meeting that Mrs. Norma Tirrell of South Paris, former Club member, is in the CMO Hospital as a surgical patient. Refreshments consisted of fudge and pop corn. Ruth Ring, Mary Andrews and Bertha Flanders served on the refreshments committee. Entertainment was in charge of Dora Ford, Marion Swan and Lora Noyes.

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SCHOOL NEWS

Grade IV—Miss Ballard
Some of our reading groups are having Work Books. We like them very much. We made Valentines last Friday.

Grade V—Mrs. Kneeland
We are coming along fine on our exhibit on the New England States. We have a new boy in our room and his name is Roland Tyler. We are going to have a Valentine Party with Mrs. Hastings' room. Our committees have been chosen. We are starting fractions in arithmetic. We were sorry to have Mrs. Kneeland out sick on Friday. Mrs. Guernsey was our substitute teacher. Reporters, Claudia DeMonte and Susan Boynton.

Grade VI—Mrs. Lord
Tuesday we had a long movie on "Mid America." Last Friday we were given crossword puzzles to do. We are planning a Valentine program for Monday. These are the committees: Games: Dedele, Richard, Lindon, Dixie Lea, and Carolyn. Refreshments: Freddie, Claire, Linda, Lucia, Kennard, and Louville. Clean-up: Dennis, Lyford, Walter, and Jimmy. Dennis is making the Valentine box. We have exchanged names. Many mothers are coming. We began our reading groups Tuesday. We are making map books. We are all looking forward to our vacation, the 18th to the 28th. Each of us received booklets on canoe. — Reporter: Dixie Lea.

Grade VI—Miss Varner
We hope you all enjoyed our story on our trip to Alaska. We are going on to the study of South America. We enjoyed having Monday off, because of the bad weather. The Sixth Grade enjoyed a movie on the Illinois Central Railroad. It told of the history of the railroad and how it grew. Last Friday we had our Audubon Club. We received Bird and Animal crossword puzzles. We are planning a Valentine Party. Donna is in charge of the program and Jean is in charge of the entertainment. We are having two classes in reading combined with Mrs. Lord's room to follow the course that was given at the reading clinic. Reporters: Nikki McMillin and Elizabeth Jackson.

Grade VII—Mr. Aspinall
In science we are doing demonstrations. The people who have done them this week are Charlotte Westleigh, Sylvia Benson, Malcolm Bennett, Richard Mason, Carolyn Reynolds. In arithmetic we are doing Geometric Designs. We are going to put them in a notebook. We all are having fun doing these. In history we are making notebooks of the History of the United States up to the end of the Revolutionary War. We are all looking forward to our class Valentine Party. Committees have been chosen and plans are underway.

Grade VIII—Mrs. Lurvey
We had a candy sale Tuesday. We didn't do so well as the last time. We made \$7.81 on it. Here is a limerick that we wrote for English class:

There was a boy whose name was Mills
The pickles he loved were dills.
He ate them alright,
They were gone by that night.
Now he's in bed taking pills.

Grade VIII—Mr. Darby
Feb. 8 we were shown a movie called "Hard Luck Charlie." It was about safety in a different form. In our class meeting we discussed class pins and rings. Mr. Darby is going to find out about the prices before we decide what to buy.

Later on we are going to discuss a fair for both elementary schools. In English we are starting the conjugation of those dry verbs. The schedule for the Glee Club has been changed from 10:30 to 1:45 Tuesday. The seventh graders let some pupils from our class go with them Friday when they went roller skating because forty students were needed. Mrs. Lurvey's group is going to give our class a Valentine party the 14th. It is a forfeit for losing an arithmetic contest to us earlier in the year. We were all probably delighted Monday to find there was to be no school because of the heavy snowfall.

There was a basketball game scheduled for Wednesday night. Our class has been studying limericks and poems.

Say you saw it in THE CITIZEN.

GOULD ACADEMY

STATE INTERSCHOLASTIC SKI CHAMPIONSHIPS

The State Interscholastic Ski Championships will be held at Gould Academy, Bethel, this Friday and Saturday, Feb. 11 and 12. Schools represented in this meet will be Gould, Edward Little, Wilton, Fryeburg, Farmington, Stephens High of Rumford, and Andover. Bruce Chalmers will represent Bridgton High and Paul McGuire will represent Mexico High. It is expected that the downhill will be Friday morning and the cross country will be run over the Gould course on Friday afternoon with slalom Saturday morning at Swan's Corner. The jumping competition will also be held at the Swan's Corner jump Saturday afternoon.

ELMS SKIERS REMAIN UNBEATEN

Edward Little High School's ski team continued unbeaten in Maine schoolboy ranks last Saturday, by coming from behind to beat out Rumford and Gould Academy in the annual Stephen High School winter carnival.

The Red Eddies Don Towle and Al Lamson of Gould wound up in a virtual tie for first place in the morning slalom race but Towle gained the top position by five-one-hundredths of a point. The ELHS skier twisted through the 20-gate course in 41.7 seconds on his first attempt and was only two seconds slower on the second run for an average time of 41.3 seconds. Lamson had the fastest single time on his first run with a 40.6 second attempt. On the second he hit 41.3 for an average time 41.35. Gould had the best team score in the event with 95.77 to EL's 95.00.

The Huskies, who fell behind Friday when several of their best cross country racers were unable to compete due to illness, never were able to catch up although they scored well in both Saturday events.

Lamson, battling a cold, was still good enough to win jumping honors with 187.3 points. He had three leaps of 84 feet, the best two being scored. He fell on his second jump. Rumford's Willie Gagnon, in second position, and Lamson, both received 18.0 style points on their initial jumps, the highest awarded by the single judge.

Jumping: Lamson (G) 187.3; 2 Gagnon (R) 186.4; 3 Burnham (G) 183.4; 4 Roderick (R) 180.3; 5 Corkum (G) 179.9.

Downhill: 1 Folger (F) 50.0; 2 J Taylor (EL) 50.1; 3 Don Towle (EL) 50.6; 4 Lamson (G) 50.8; 5 Stearns (F) 50.8.

Slalom: 1 Lamson (G) 47.5; 2 Folger (F) 50.4; 3 Stearns (F) 52.4; 4 Twitchell (F) 52.6; 5 J Taylor (EL) 53.7.

Cross Country: 1 Lamson (G) 23:34; 2 Broomhall (R) 23:35; 3 Burnham (G) 23:57; 4 Rasmussen (B) 24:02; 5 D Donovan (EL) 24:17.

ORGAN RECITALS OF WALTER MARCUSE
Walter Marcuse, instructor of music at Gould Academy and music supervisor of the Bethel village schools, will give a series of organ recitals. The first of these will take place on Feb. 20, at 8 p. m. in the Cathedral Church of Saint Luke, Portland. The recital is sponsored by the Maine Chapter of the American Guild of Organists, admission is free, and everybody is cordially invited to attend.

The second recital will be on Monday, Feb. 21, at 8 p. m. at the Universalist Church, South Paris. At the end of the recital, Mr. Marcuse will explain the organ mechanism to everyone who will come to the console. The South Paris recital will be a lecture recital. Mr. Marcuse will explain briefly the pieces which he is going to play.

Before Mr. Marcuse came to Gould Academy in 1953, he held the

position of organist and choir director of the First Congregational Church in Natick, Mass., and served as summer substitute organist and director at historic Arlington Street Church in Boston. He received his Bachelor Degree in Organ from the New England Conservatory of Music. The program of both recitals will include representative selections of the organ literature. It will last approximately one hour. The public is cordially invited to attend.

MEXICO TAKES GOULD

Spider Watson and company proved too much for Gould Tuesday night and came away with a 59-37 victory. The elongated center connected for 24 points, most of them in the first half. Garrett, Pinto left guard, helped out with an even dozen points. White was the only double figure scorer for the Huskies with 15. He now has scored 178 points to be the only consistent scorer of the season.

Norman Hill, with 20 points, carried the Husky JV's to a 36-32 victory over the visiting underclassmen.

	G	F	P
Gould (37)	5	1	0
Trimbach	0	0	0
Lieberman	3	2	8
White	5	5	15
Willard	0	0	0
C Corkum	1	0	2
Murphy	1	0	2
Rowe	2	2	6
Lord	0	0	0
Roberts	3	0	2
Daley	1	0	2
Mexico (56)	14	9	37

	G	F	P
Brown	4	2	10
Viger	1	0	2
MacDonald	1	1	3
W Viger	0	2	2
Watson	8	8	24
Blanchard	1	0	2
Radeliff	0	1	1
Garrett	6	0	12
Hammond	0	0	0
	21	14	56

	M	G	B
Mexico	11	23	42
Gould	10	23	33
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BRIDGTON 70—GOULD 59
Gould was unable to match baskets with a red hot shooting Bridgton high team at Bridgton last Thursday. Douglas of the winners came through with 26 points and Berry followed with 12. For Gould, White continued his fine scoring

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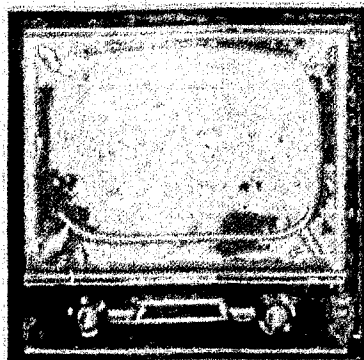
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with a 23 point total while Corkum shipped in with 14. It was the 11th loss for the Huskies in 12 starts.

	G	F	P
Willard	0	0	0
Trimbach	0	0	0
White	8	7	23
Lieberman	3	3	9
Corkum	6	2	14
Lord	0	0	0
Murphy	1	3	5
Roberts	2	1	5
Daley	0	0	0
	20	16	56

	G	F	P
Bridgton (70)	9	8	28
A Douglas	1	2	4
N Douglas	4	0	8
Daralch	0	0	0
Libbey	0	0	0
Johns	4	0	8
Cushman	2	0	4
Thurlow	3	0	6
Clanson	1	0	2
Berry	5	2	12
Walsanen	0	0	0
Goodson	0	0	0
	29	12	70

	G	F	P
Gould	16	29	38
Bridgton	26	46	60

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WEST PARIS

Rev. C. F. Sanger of Lowell, Mass., was a candidate minister at the Baptist Church, Sunday morning.

Boy Scout Sunday was observed at the Universalist Church, Sunday morning, with the Boy Scouts and Troop Committee attending in a body. Scripture reading was given by Harold Perham, responsive reading was given by Reynold Chase. Rev. Donald Hinkley of Auburn delivered the sermon.

On Sunday afternoon the UYF Group of the Universalist Church conducted the opening worship service at the meeting of the Oxford County Christian Youth Council at the South Paris Congregational Church, with the following program: Call to Worship, Donna Andrews; Hymn, "Dear Lord and Father"; Responsive Reading, Elaine Penley; Hymn, "This is My Father's World"; Scripture Reading, Patricia Day; Sermonette, "Our Task," adult advisor, Harold Perham; The Lord's Prayer, Bonnie Cyr; Closing hymn, "He Leadeth Me." The hymns were announced by Sheila Heath. Those attending were: Harold Perham, Mary Perham, Shirley Ellingwood, Starr Andrews, Maryann Perham, Douglas Perham, Donna Andrews, Patty Day, Penny Day, Alice Young, Bonnie Cyr, Earle Edwin Palmer, and Sheila Heath.

The Senior Class of West Paris High School is sponsoring a paper drive. Next collection will be made Feb. 19. Those having paper call Ruth Noyes, phone no. 633, or Gwen Stelhorn, phone no. 632.

Mrs. Mary Palmer entertained at a birthday party, in honor of her daughter, Eleanor, who was observing her seventh birthday. Games were played and delicious refreshments were served by the ladies. Eleanor received many nice gifts. Those attending were Brenda Farr, Mary Ann Palmer, Janella Mann, Donna Farr, Patricia Todd and Eleanor Palmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Jackson were guests at a birthday dinner Sunday.

STATE OF MAINE
To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named: At a Probate Court held at Paris, in and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of January in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-five from day to day from the third Tuesday of said January. The following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby Ordered:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Citizen a newspaper published at Bethel in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Paris, on the third Tuesday of February A. D. 1955, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Frances M. Davis, late of Newry, deceased; First and Final Account presented for allowance by Fred W. Wright, executor.

Witness, Robert T. Smith Judge of said Court at Paris, this third Tuesday of January in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-five.

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at the home of his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Andrews, South Woodstock.

Gerald Day returned to his work at Rumford on Monday after spending the past week at his home here.

Miss Margaret Perham of Bates College was the week end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Perham.

Byron H. Inman, ODS, U. S. Navy, returned Sunday to the Chelsea Naval Hospital, Chelsea, Mass., after spending several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Inman.

1st Lt. Frances Ellingwood, Sampson Air Force Base, Geneva, N. Y., spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Ellingwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Emery of Portland were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Farr. Other guests in the Farr home during the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Farr, Mr. and Mrs. Addison Luff, kin of West Paris and George Marston of Canton.

Mrs. Sara Mann, Mrs. Earle Palmer and Mrs. Doris Mann visited Mrs. Geneva Tuell, Sunday, at the CMG Hospital.

Mandall Herrick suffered an illness, Sunday morning. He was recovering from a virus infection.

Mrs. Bill Witham fell at her home Saturday, fracturing her arm and was taken to the CMG Hospital for treatment, returning home that night.

Mr. and Mrs. John Allen were in Norridgewock last week. While there they attended a birthday dinner at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Agnes Crow.

Harry Inman has recovered from his recent illness. Mrs. Inman observed her 65th birthday last week.

The West Paris fire department was called to the fire at Stowell's mill, Bryant Pond, Monday evening.

Harold C. Perham, chairman of the Paris school board, attended the Tri-State Convention of Educators at the William Bingham Gymnasium at Gould Academy in Bethel this week.

STATE OF MAINE

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named: At a Probate Court at Paris, in and for the County of Oxford, on the 1st day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-five, from day to day from the 1st day of said February. The following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby Ordered:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Citizen a newspaper published at Bethel in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Rumford on the 22nd day of February A. D. 1955, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Charles Elmer Valentine, late of Bethel, deceased; Will and Petition for probate thereof and the appointment of Carroll Edward Valentine as executor of the same, to act without bond as expressed in said Will, presented by Carroll Edward Valentine, the executor thereof named.

Minora Rose Holt Wright, late of Hanover, deceased; First and Final Account presented for allowance by Ernest L. Holt, executor.

Witness, Robert T. Smith Judge of said Court at Paris, this 1st day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-five.

EARLE R. CLIFFORD, Register.

HANOVER

The North Rumford group of the Extension Service met on January 18 at the home of Mrs. Hazel Howe. The subject of the meeting was "Casserole and Oven Meals" and was under the leadership of Mrs. Barbara Ellingwood. Dinner was served to eleven and was followed by the business meeting, led by chairman Marion Ladd.

Those present were: Marion Ladd, Mary Burns, Myrtle Barker, Marjorie Cummings, Daisie Warren, Una Stearns, Mary Linnell, Dorothy Ogden, daughter, Margaret, and the co-hostesses, Barbara Ellingwood and Hazel Howe. After dinner the group was joined by Marilyn Stearns and her two children.

The next meeting of the North Rumford group will be on Feb. 15 at the K of P Hall in Hanover. Officers of the group are: chair-

man, Mrs. Marion Ladd; secretary, Mrs. Hazel Howe; clothing leader, Mrs. Marjorie Cummings; foods leader, Mrs. Barbara Ellingwood; home management leader, Mrs. Isabel Kline.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Forbes are making their home for the remainder of the winter with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Croteau. Mr. Forbes was recently discharged from the U. S. Navy and has resumed his work at the Rumford Falls Light and Power Co.

Mrs. Hazel Howe, chairman for the March of Dimes, reports a total of \$40.42 collected by her workers in Hanover and Newry. Mrs. Howe and her group are to be congratulated as well as thanked by us all. Working with Mrs. Howe in Hanover were Leslie Fuller, Mrs. Irving Law, and Mrs. Harry Kline. Mr. and Mrs. Willis Brooke took over the collection in Newry and turned in \$19.36 to Mrs. Howe.

See your county agent of the Maine Extension Service for the latest information on farming, gardening, home grounds, forestry, and other subjects.

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This is a time of year when we don't think much about our soils except maybe to get out some manure; but it won't be too long before the snows start to melt and the soil begins to thaw out. Let's hope that all our soils are tied down by a good sod of some kind to withstand the washing that will result when these spring run-offs occur. Cover crops of some kind have been used successfully in this area for quite some time, but there is still great opportunity to use this practice to more advantage.

It seems that every time you talk to a farmer about using a cover crop on a particular field that they try desperately to think of several reasons why a cover crop isn't practical for them. As a means of building fertility while at the same time preventing erosion of sandy soils from wind of water, many farmers now a cover crop in the fall. A well-grown cover crop contains plant food (fertilizer materials) equivalent to 1 ton of high grade fertilizer. The organic matter is equivalent to about 10 tons of manure. In addition, the extensive root system of a well-selected cover crop develops much better soil structure than would be possible with manure alone. Besides providing a non-leaching, slowly and regularly available food supply for rapidly growing crops that follow the cover crop, it places this plant food

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—Mary C. Stanley, Corres.—

Mr and Mrs Arnel Brown and Mr and Mrs Tom Brown leave the last of the week for Florida.

Mrs Clyde Brooks and daughter, Calley, are in Weymouth, Mass., with Mrs Brooks' brother, while her husband is in the hospital.

Carey Stevens was in the Rumford Hospital, Monday, for a check-up.

The many friends of Miss Frances A. Carter, formerly of Bethel, are sorry to hear that she is a surgical patient in the Newton Wellesley Hospital, Newton, Mass.

Mr and Mrs Lloyd Clark of Westbrook visited Mr and Mrs Malcolm Mundt and family, Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Bud Howe and son, and Sylvia Dyke spent Saturday at Willis Ward's.

Little Danny Kennagh is ill and under a doctor's care.

Mrs Winifred Bartlett and her brother, Bill Hall, both have been ill with bad colds.

WEST BETHEL

—Mrs. Ruth Gilbert, Corres.—

Mrs Herman Bennett was at Rumford Community Hospital for X-rays on Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday.

Mrs Franklin Burris returned home from Rumford Community Hospital, Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Allen Walker, Sheila and Rowena Gilbert, were in Dixfield, Friday night.

Shirley Gilbert was a guest of Mr and Mrs Robert Parker, South Portland, Friday night.

Mr and Mrs Allen Walker were in Norway, Monday night.

Mr and Mrs Shirley Gilbert and family and Mr and Mrs Robert Gilbert were in Magalloway Sunday.

Marvin Kendall, Boston, was a week end guest of Mr and Mrs Clayton Kendall.

Mr and Mrs Charles Hancock attended Franklin Grange, Bryant Pond, Saturday.

SOCIETY DIRECTORY

St. Abram Lodge, No. 31, E. O. O. K. Meets Friday evenings. N. G. Asher Rummels, Secretary, George Lothrop.

Sunset Rebekah Lodge, No. 61. Meets first and third Monday evenings. N. G. Blanche Berryman, Rec. Secretary, Hilda Donahue.

Purity Chapter, No. 102, O. E. S. Meets first Wednesday evenings. W. M. Helen Morton, Secretary, Ethel Blisbee.

Pleasant Valley Grange, No. 124. West Bethel. Meets second and fourth Thursdays. Master, George Gilbert. Secretary, Little Hall.

Bethel Chamber of Commerce. Meets first Tuesdays. President, Donald Christie. Secretary, Henry Hastings.

W. S. C. S. Methodist Church. Meets first Thursday afternoons. President, Olive Carter. Secretary, Doris Brown. Assistant Secretary, Gertrude Fossett.

Eleanor Gordon Guild. Meets second and fourth Wednesday evenings. President, Mary Angeline. Secretary, Ruth Eastman.

Ladies' Club, Congregational Church. Meets first and third Thursday afternoons. President, Mrs. Edith Howe. Secretary, Mrs. R. R. Tibbitts.

The Guild, Congregational Church. Meets second and fourth Wednesday evenings. President, Mrs. Leila Marcuse. Secretary, Mrs. Gertrude Hutchins.

Bethel Lodge, No. 97, F. & A. M. Meets second Thursday evenings. W. M. Dana Brooks. Secretary, Ernest Mundt.

Bethel Lions Club. Meets second and fourth Mondays. President, Herbert Morton, Jr. Secretary, James Hutchins.

Men's Brotherhood, Methodist Church. Meets first Wednesday evenings. President, Evans Wilson. Jr. Secretary, Donald Christie.

Parent Teacher Association. Meets third Wednesday evenings. President, Jay Willard. Secretary, Rita Davis.

Five Town Teachers' Club. Meets first Monday evening. President, Hazel Wheeler. Secretary, Helen Varner.

Mundt-Allen Post, No. 31, American Legion. Meets second and fourth Tuesday evenings. Commander, Leila Kendall. Adjutant, Jack Compass.

Mundt-Allen Unit, No. 31, American Legion Auxiliary. Meets second and fourth Tuesday evenings. President, Josephine Tripp. Secretary, Hilda Donahue.

Alder River Grange, No. 144, East Bethel. Meets first and third Friday evening. Master, Richard Stevens. Secretary, Marguerite Bartlett.

Bear River Grange, No. 202, Newry Corner. Meets every other Saturday. Master, George Stearns. Secretary, Ida Wight.

Bethel Players. Meets third Monday, 8 p. m. President, Francis Norva. Secretary, Sylvia Sloan.

Bethel Auxiliary of Rumford Community Hospital. Meets first Monday evenings. President, Ruth Boynton. Secretary, Barbara Douglas.

Stamp Club meets Wednesday after school, 2:30 to 3:00 p. m. at home of Mrs. Patrick O'Brien, Paradise Road. President pro-tem, David Boynton. Secretary, Donald Christie.

the Snapshot Guild

The children engrossed in Valentine-making are fine subjects for the family camera.

Valentine's Day Is for Pictures

A special day is a special occasion for picture taking—and that one devoted to the good St. Valentine is one of them.

Valentine's Day, with its greetings, both sentimental and humorous... its parties... and big red heart boxes of candy... can be a snapshotter's paradise.

Right about now the small fry are preparing for the day both at home and at school. We talk from time to time about good subjects for a whole series of pictures rather than a single snapshot. The making and addressing of Valentines is an operation that will make as good a picture series as you can find.

This, of course, being an indoor snapshotting project calls for flash on your camera. This, in turn, enables you to snap pictures with the greatest of freedom—to shoot the action as it happens, to capture the looks of concentration, the grimaces as paste-encrusted fingers become tangled in lacy paper. We really mean it

when we say picture the action. Since most of the modern day simple cameras are made for use with the fast flash bulbs, you'll be shooting at sufficient speed to "stop" any normal movement of your subject.

To make the story really complete, take pictures of the Valentine art work the youngsters bring home from school. If mother has the time, she might even imitate Mary's little lamb and follow them to school to snap pictures of the Valentine decorations and preparations that go on there.

While an advance check with the teacher would be advisable, chances are that you and your camera will be made most welcome and everyone will enjoy your picture story snapshotting project.

As a final touch, you might take your story out-of-doors for a shot of the youngsters putting their out-of-town Valentines in the mailbox.

—John Van Guilder

Pond, Saturday.

Howard Rolfe is confined with a virus infection.

Arthur Head returned to school Monday after several days illness.

Mr and Mrs Oney Mills, Bryant Pond, were Sunday caller at the home of Mr and Mrs Charles Hancock.

Mrs Clayton Kendall, West Bethel, and Mr and Mrs Ronald Kendall, Bethel, were at Manchester, N. H., Saturday.

Mr and Mrs Charles Hancock attended Pomona Grange at Bryant Pond, Tuesday, Feb. 1.

Mr and Mrs Bernard Rolfe and

ALBANY HUNT'S CORNER AND VICINITY

—Mrs. Harlan Bumpus, Cor.—

The Sunday evening Vesper Service was held at the home of Mr and Mrs Harlan Bumpus. Next Sunday it will be at Mrs Maude Kimball's.

The Mountaineers held their weekly meeting at the home of Kenneth Bumpus. Next Friday they will meet at the home of Mr and Mrs Ralph Dyer and family.

Miss Janice Stearns is visiting

might have a game and dance hour and create more enjoyment. We voted and sent our Lecturer to the conference and no doubt she will come back just running-over with new ideas and she will want you delinquent members to help her carry them out, so come on up to Grange. Next meeting will be "Scout Night" with the Scouts as guests. Refreshments will be served after the meeting. Make up your mind right now to be there. The weekly dances have been postponed for the month of February on account of the cold weather. Sixteen of our members attended Oxford Pomona No. 2 at Bryant Pond, Feb. 1st.

Miss Roberta Snyder in Connecticut.

Mr and Mrs Albert Keniston were Sunday guests of Mr and Mrs L. J. Andrews.

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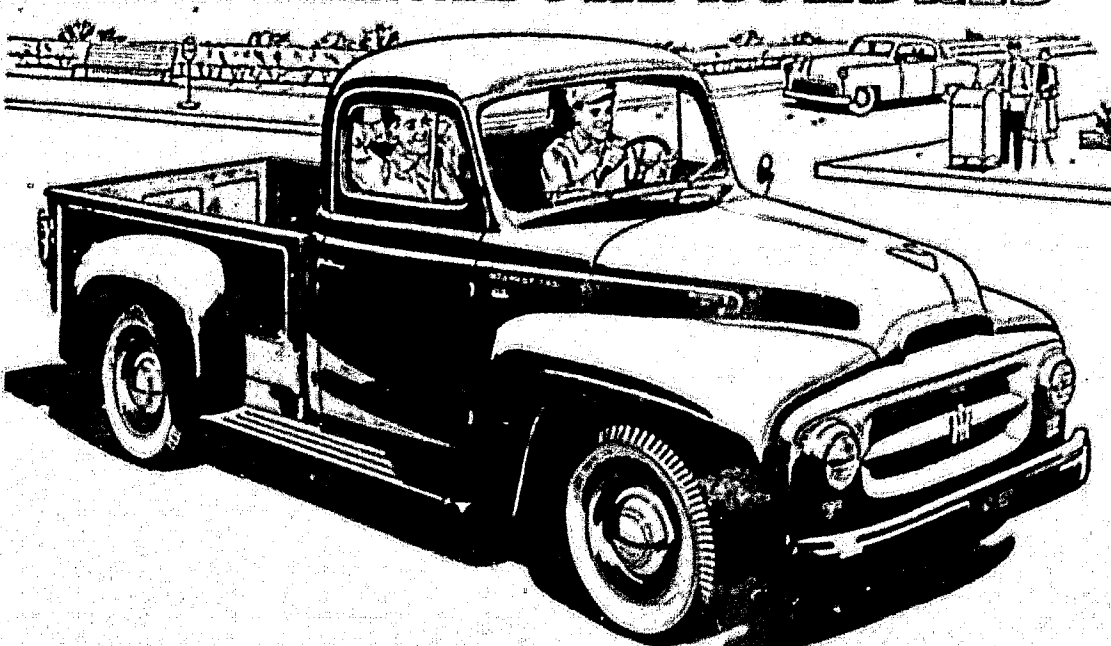
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10 YEARS AGO

Mr. and Mrs. John Gilman and family from Hading, Mass., moved to the Ames Homestead on Main Street.

Mary Lou Chapman, Dorothy York, Barbara Wilson and Katherine Kellogg, all of Bethel, were included in leading roles in the Gould Academy senior play, "Junior Miss."

Death: George Harding Tucker.

20 YEARS AGO

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Havelton went to Calais where they would make their home.

Ice harvesting proceeded under difficulties. At Gunther's ice pond it was necessary to remove about six feet of snow.

The buildings of Charles Con, Milton, were burned.

Death: Mrs. James Swan, Mrs. Emma M. Miller.

The foundation for the feed-plant at West Paris was being constructed.

J. B. Norton Shaw, Official Bird Observer, appointed by Massachusetts State Ornithologist, spent several days in Bethel. He reported seeing seventeen varieties of birds.

The home of George Mason in Locke Mills was burned.

Death: Harlan Smith.

V. A. NEWS LETTER

Payments to veterans for benefits administered by the Veterans Administration are tax-free and need not be reported in computing income tax, the Bureau of Internal Revenue and the VA has reminded veterans.

Spokesmen added that dividends which veterans have received on their GI insurance policies also are exempt from taxation and need not be reported.

Among the tax exempt VA payments are the following:

Subsistence allowances for World War II veterans training in schools, on farms and on-the-job under the original GI Bill.

Subsistence payments made to disabled World War II and Korean veterans in training under Public Law 16, the Vocational Rehabilitation Act.

Education and training allowances for post-Korean veterans enrolled in schools and training establishments under the Korean GI Bill.

Disability compensation and pensions paid to veterans for both service-connected and non-service-connected disabilities.

Grants to seriously disabled veterans for homes designed for "wheelchair living."

World War I emergency officer retirement pay.

Death benefits to families of deceased veterans also are exempt from taxation. It was pointed out that federal compensation, pension and all GI insurance payments.

WORTH REPEATING

"American industry has a direct responsibility to do its utmost to protect its employees in the right to obtain and hold jobs without compulsion to join or not join any organization." Henry G. Miller, 3rd, IAM President.

"When a government speaks in billions, no body knows what it is all about for the very simple reason that no normal person can picture what a billion units of anything is like. But one can understand when spending goes up or down from the previous year; one can understand that when it goes up appreciably, his taxes are apt to reflect the change; likewise when it goes down, he can at least hope that there will be a reflection in his tax bill downward." —404-Sketon (Coke) Press.

"Hourly wages in manufacturing averaged \$1.83 in December. This was three cents an hour above December, 1953 and it represents a new record high. Since average hours worked in industry recovered to 40.5 hours per week, as of December, 1954, the average weekly wage reached a new high of \$74.12." —News Facts.

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NEWRY

Mrs. Francis Vall entertained her mother, Mrs. Gerald Harding, and sister, Mrs. Howard Palmer, of Norway, Saturday.

Miss Carrie Wight is visiting friends and relatives in Portland and Farmington, Mass.

Webster Learned, of Rumford, visited Lon Wight, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Brooke and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wight attended the poverty ball sponsored by the Bethel Lions Club last week.

Walter Enman of Dedham, Mass., was the week end guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Enman.

Arthur Broomhall of Rumford was a Sunday guest of his daughter, Mrs. Paul Wight.

The Ladies Circle met at Mrs. Leon Enman's Monday evening.

Twelve ladies were present. Devotions were led by Mrs. Enman. Plans were made for a card party to be held at Fred Wight's, Friday, Feb. 11th.

A stork shower was tendered Mrs. Elden Bennett at the home of Mrs. Albert Morton on Wednesday evening, Feb. 2. Those present were: Mrs. George Learned, Mrs. Chester Chapman, Mrs. Bernard Powers, Mrs. Earl Lane, Mrs. Thomas Bartholomew, Mrs. David Buck, Mrs. Fred Auger, Mrs. Elizabeth Wight, Mrs. Roy Bennett, Mrs. Richard Bennett, Mrs. Francis Vall, Mrs. Frank Brown, Mrs. Fred Wight, Mrs. Paul Wight, Miss Carrie Wight, Mrs. Reginald Bacheider, Mrs. Albert Morton, and the honored guest. Those sending gifts but unable to be present were: Mrs. Arnold Sterling, Mrs. Harry Powers, Mrs. Willis Brooke, Mrs. Robert Davis, Mrs. Leon Enman, Mrs. Lester Lane, Master Donald Bennett.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Morton was the scene of a pleasant occasion on Sunday afternoon when they held open house in observance of the 80th birthday of Mrs. Morton's mother, Mrs. Altha Richardson. The honored guest was the life of the party as she greeted her friends and expressed her appreciation of her many gifts. Delicious refreshments were served with Mrs. Richardson's grandchildren, Herbert and Marjorie Morton, pouring.

Among those who called were: Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Dutton, Mrs. Wallace Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Willard, Mr. and Mrs. Leland MacLean, Cynthia and Alden, Mrs. Fred and Clark, Bethel; Mrs. Philip Burns of Bryant Pond; Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Duchette and Paul, Mechanic Falls; Mrs. Willis Annis, Auburn; Webster Learned, Rumford Center; Mrs. Chester Chapman, Mrs. Beattie Learned, Mrs. George Learned, Mrs. Leon Enman, Mrs. Walter Vall, Mrs. Fred Wight, Miss Carrie Wight, Roger Hanson, Mrs. Gertrude Hanson, Miss Amy Hanson, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Brooke and Susan, Mrs. Daisy Morton, Rebecca Morton, Paul Wight, of Newry.

Those sending gifts but unable to attend were: Mrs. Richard Brown, Mrs. Warren Powers, Mrs. Bernard Powers, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Oxtun, Mrs. Bertha Davis, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Richardson.

In recent years in Maine there has been a rapid shift from other breeds to White Plymouth Rocks to meet the demand by the broiler trade for white birds.

SMART MONEY

KNOWS WHERE TO GO AFTER READING THE ADS IN THIS NEWSPAPER.



An early picture of the brick Grammar School Building, which has been unoccupied for several years, since the construction of Crescent Park School. Now the property of Gould Academy, for the past few weeks razing operations have been going on. The roof is being removed this week.



Brownie Troop No. 6 met Tuesday February 8, with nine present. We planned a Valentine tea party and made invitations to give to our mothers. The party will be held February 16 at 3:45. We also worked on our Swedish weaving.

Patrol 4—Linda Brown and Nikki McMillin surprised our patrol with a Valentine Party. We all enjoyed making Valentines, for certain people! These girls never seem to lack ideas. While we were all working we had a very mysterious (7) phone call. Claire Berry seemed positive it must be for her, even though Hope kept calling another name. We were served delicious refreshments including a Valentine cake made by Linda Brown.

The Pine Tree Patrol met at the home of Mrs. Alfred Brown. We opened the meeting by forming our horseshoe and the flag ceremony. We appointed our new officers. Patrol leader, Nancy Cole; Assistant Patrol Leader, Carol Keoski; Secretary, Sheila Roberts; Treasurer, Beth Brown. Color Guards are Bonita Eames, Evelyn Sprague, Diana Bennett, Julie Brown, Judy Carrier; Scrapbook Keeper, Susan Boynton. One of the second class requirements is to get acquainted with someone in our community who was brought up in another country. We invited Mrs. Elizabeth Jordan to come and she spoke to us on life in Germany. It was very interesting. Refreshments were served by Nancy Cole and Beth Brown.

Brownie Troop 7 met on Tuesday, Feb. 8, at the primary school. There were only 11 present out of our 19 members. There is much sickness. Valentines were made.

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AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY

The American Legion Auxiliary met at the Legion Home Tuesday evening.

It was voted to have a food sale on March 5. The committee for the Lions Club supper on Monday Feb. 14 is Selma Chapman and Josephine Tripp.

It was decided to send the adopted veterans at Togus a box of candy for Valentine's Day.

There will be a 6:30 pot luck supper at the next meeting, Feb. 22, also an Americanism Program, Frances Bennett, committee.

HORN

In Rumford, Feb. 8, to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smith of Bryant Pond, a daughter, Diana Lorraine.

In Rumford, Feb. 5, to Mr. and Mrs. George Merrill of Bethel, a son, Bruce Francis.

MARRIED

In Bethel, Jan. 7, by Rev. Charles Pendleton, Robert A. Hutchinson, of West Bethel, and Miss Patricia Ann Tyler of Gilead.

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In Lewiston, Feb. 7, Mrs. Genevra Tuell of West Paris, aged 63 years.

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News of 4-H CLUBS

EARLY RISERS 4-H CLUB

The Early Risers 4-H Club of East Bethel held a regular meeting at our leader's home, Mr. and Mrs. James Plawlock. The secretary's and treasurer's reports were read and accepted. Our record sheets were given back to us and looked over. Afterwards we worked on our woodworking projects. —Club Reporter, John Foster.

OUR SCOUTS—DEN 4

We met at Mrs. Chadbourne's. We had refreshments. Two of our Cub Scouts, Maynard Morgan and Charlie Sprague were absent. We had our Salute and Promise. We had games outdoors. We did finger painting. We had our closing ceremony.—Asst. Denner, Reggie Morgan.

True wisdom is to know what is best worth knowing, and to do what is best doing.
—Edward P. Humphrey

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I will be at the store intermittently for another week for the purpose of settling accounts.

Again, people of Bethel, I thank you.

Signed: STUART F. MARTIN

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